

House Resolution 328

By: Representatives Lindsey of the 54th, Wilkinson of the 52nd, and Dobbs of the 53rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending David James Burge, Jr.; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, David James Burge, Jr., has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most
3 distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and
- 4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
6 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and
- 7 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and David
8 has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills taught
9 through the Boy Scout program; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man is a dedicated member of Troop 74, in Atlanta,
11 Georgia; and
- 12 WHEREAS, to obtain his rank as Eagle Scout, David worked conscientiously and
13 respectfully to rehabilitate two cemetery plots at the historic Oakland Cemetery in Atlanta;
14 and
- 15 WHEREAS, this outstanding Georgian has truly exhibited a commitment to the scouting
16 principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a manner
17 becoming an Eagle Scout; and
- 18 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
19 set an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body commend David James Burge, Jr., for his diligence and dedication

22 in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him
23 on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to David James Burge, Jr.